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SUBJECT: U.S./CANADA 1978 RECIPROCAL FISHERIES AGREEMENT

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF LETTER SENT MAY 1 TO MR. GILLES
MATHIEU BY DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY JOHN D. NEGROPONTE.

1. BEGIN TEXT: THIS WILL CONFIRM THE NOTICE GIVEN
ORALLY TO CANADIAN OFFICIALS ON APRIL 28. IN VIEW OF
THE DECISION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA TO CONTINUE
FISHING FOR SALMON IN THE SWIFTSURE BANK AREA OF BRITISH
COLUMBIA STATISTICAL AREA 21 DURING THE PERIOD APRIL 15-
JUNE 14, DESPITE THE CONCLUSION OF THE UNITED STATES,
CONVEYED TO YOUR EMBASSY IN WRITING ON APRIL 14 AND AGAIN
ON APRIL 21, THAT CONSERVATION NEEDS REQUIRED IMMEDIATE
CLOSURE OF THE AREA, THE UNITED STATES HAS NOTIFIED ITS
AUTHORITIES THAT CANADIAN SALMON TROLLING IN THE U.S.
ZONE SHALL BE CONDUCTED ON TERMS NO MORE FAVORABLE THAN
THOSE SET FORTH IN THE 1977 RECIPROCAL FISHERIES AGREE-
MENT. AS A CONSEQUENCE, THIS MEANS THAT CANADIAN VESSELS
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WILL BE PERMITTED TO FISH ONLY IN THE AREAS AUTHORIZED
IN THE 1977 AGREEMENT AND ARE NOT AUTHORIZED TO HAVE
SALMON SMALLER THAN 28 INCHES ON BOARD WHILE IN THE
U.S. ZONE. END TEXT. CHRISTOPHER

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